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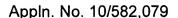
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Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. 1.56, 1.97, and 1.98, Applicant hereby brings the following information to the attention of the Examiner, which includes information cited and discussed in the specification, the International Search Report, the Written Opinion and the International Preliminary Examination Report with counterpart International **Application** issued in connection No. PCT/EP2004/013963. Copies of the International Search Report (in English), the Written Opinion (in English), the Response to the Written Opinion dated Ocotber 6, 2005, the Experimental Results attached to the Demand, and the International Preliminary Examination Report (in English) were enclosed with the papers when entering the National Stage on June 8, 2006. The Examiner is invited to review these P30006



materials to inspect the relevance indicated during international examination with respect to the documents cited therein.

- U.S. Patent No. 4,170,633, which is cited in the specification beginning on page 1, last paragraph;
- U.S. Patent No. 4,891,211, which is cited in the specification beginning on page 1, last paragraph;
- U.S. Patent No.5,147,632, which is cited in the specification beginning on page 2, first paragraph;
- U.S. Patent No. 5,496,541, which is cited in the specification beginning on page 2, first paragraph;
- EP 0 372 603, which is cited in the specification beginning on page 2, first paragraph;
- WO 02/19834, which is cited in the specification beginning on page 2, first paragraph;
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- U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2002/0142068, which is cited in the specification beginning on page 2, second paragraph;
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WO 03/002056, and family member U.S. Patent No. 6,355,229;

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Applicant also brings to the attention of the Examiner:

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Applicant also brings to the attention of the Examiner commonly assigned copending application:

U.S. Patent Application No. 10/582,223, which is a National Stage of PCT/EP2003/013873, which published as WO 2005/058263.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R 1.98, copies of the U.S. patents, and U.S. published patent applications are not enclosed herewith. However, if any copies are needed, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned.

Copies of the above-noted documents, except for U.S. patents, and U.S. published patent applications, are enclosed together with a duly completed Form PTO-1449. The Examiner is accordingly requested to consider each of these documents, and to make them of record in this application by initialing in the appropriate spaces on the Form PTO-1449. Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner include a copy of the initialed Form PTO-1449 with the next communication from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

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